REQUEST Application Number 10/701,496 **FOR** Confirmation Number 7626 CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) Filing Date November 6, 2003 TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor Yutaka TOSAKI MAIL STOP RCE Group Art Unit 1771 Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Daniel R. ZIRKER Examiner Name Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Matter Number Q78309 Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE TAPE plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995 OR SHEET This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a. Previously submitted Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 i. 🗹 previously filed on July 13, 2007 Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ii. 🗆 iii. 🗆 b. \(\overline{\Omega} \) Enclosed i. ☑ Amendment/Reply ii. ✓ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. Petition for Extension of Time v. Other 2. MISCELLANEOUS a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1,103(c) for a period of _____ months b. Other 3. FEES The statutory fee for the RCE of \$790.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Direct all correspondence to the address for SUGHRUE MION, PLLC filed under the Customer Number listed below: WASHINGTON DC SUGHRUE/265550 65565 CUSTOMER NUMBER SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY Name Keiko K. Takagi Registration No. 47,121

Signature /Keiko K. Takagi/ Date September 17, 2007